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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Satoshi YAMADA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2178

Application No.: 10/800,846

Examiner: D. FABER

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For: TEMPLATE PRODUCTION SYSTEM, LAYOUT SYSTEM, TEMPLATE PRODUCTION PROGRAM, LAYOUT PROGRAM, LAYOUT TEMPLATE DATA STRUCTURE, TEMPLATE PRODUCTION METHOD, AND LAYOUT METHOD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the December 11, 2006 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.